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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In the application of:

Thomas A. SILVESTRINI

Serial No.: 08/596,221

Filing Date: July 15, 1996

For: SEGMENTED PLIABLE
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Examiner: Dave Willse

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

All finally rejected claims (specifically, claims 23, 24, 28, and 30-37) in the decision of the Primary Examiner dated January 6, 1999 are hereby appealed to the Board of Appeals.

- Appeal Fee not Required.
- Appeal Fee of \$150.00 is required.
- A third month extension is requested; the extension fee is \$435.00.
- A check in the amount of \$585.00 is attached.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under

37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this Notice of Appeal, or to credit any

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 6, 1999

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